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DEFENSE PASS TO JCS, CSAF, CINCSAC, USAFSS

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TAGS: MILI, UK, MOPS
SUBJECT: SR-71 TRAINING DEPLOYMENT TO RAF MILDENHALL

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1. WE INFORMED MARTIN, PERMANENT UNDER SECRETARY'S OFFICE, FCO AND LEVER, DEFENSE DEPARTMENT, FCO, ON 29 DECEMBER OF PLANNED SR-71 TRAINING DEPLOYMENT AS OUTLINED IN REFTTEL A.
2. OUR REQUEST HAS CAUGHT BRITISH BUREAUCRACY IN MIDST OF CHRISTMAS-NEW YEAR HOLIDAY SEASON AND THEY CANNOT GIVE US A CATEGORIC ANSWER TODAY. HOWEVER, AS A
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PRACTICAL MATTER, WE SHOULD PROCEED ON BASIS OF EXPECTING AN AFFIRMATIVE RESPONSE. ONE REQUEST PUT TO US IS THAT PRESS LINE AGREED TO AND REPORTED IN LONDON 4269 (03 181800 Z 76 DTG) WILL BE USED ONLY REPEAT ONLY IN RESPONSE TO QUESTIONS.

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